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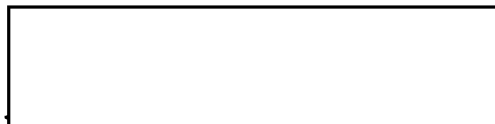
MEMORANDUM FOR: 

FROM:  Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: DDO Participation in Pre-briefing Sessions

In the future whenever we have a skull session in preparation for my briefings of the President, I would like appropriate representatives of the DDO to be present. That is, when we have a topic on some country, I would like to have the Branch Chief in charge of that country in DDO invited to send his most expert person on that country. DDO does not participate in the preparation of my briefing itself, but they will have people who have lived in and with that country and can provide useful background for us. In addition, it will feed back into the DDO what our interests and concerns are in that area. In short, I would like to augment the groups that we have cycled in for these pre-briefing sessions by a couple of DDOers for each topic where it is appropriate.

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